WAS IT A CONSPIRACYS

Fresh Evidence of a Scheme to Poison Charles E. Blair.

WHAT WAS FOUND IN A BOOT

The Alleged Victim Defines His Relations with the Volkmers.

Further inquiry into the case of Charles E. Blair, the Chatham Village manufacturer, who, it is claimed, was poisoned by Josoph and Mary Volkmer, is regarded as corroborating the story told by the Irish woman, Mary Connolly. The developments made in the case yesterday are considered to strengthen the position of the prosecution. Captain Allaire on Wednesday night instructed Detectives Hess and Wade to search, yesterday, the apartments lately occupied by the Volkmers. It will be remembered that on the day the prisoners were arrested the premises were searched, but without the iscovery of any evidence that would affect this case. Mary Connolly in her statements has all along as-serted that when Volkmer came home after his pur-chase of the morphine powder he dissolved it in pagne bottles equal amounts of the poison, holding each bottle up to the light to see that as much liquid was in the one as in the other. One of these bottles Mary Connolly carried to a Second avenue druggist who marked it "poison." This labelled bottle she brought to the station house. It is the one whose contents were found to contain morphine, and is now in evidence against the accused. Its mate, however, could not be found on last Sunday, when the detectives first searched the premises. When the rooms were searched yesterday an old pair of boots were keeping guard in a corner of the bedroom in the absence of their master. Accidentally the detectives kicked one of the pair, and from it shot forth a half-pint champagne bottle, the exact counterpart of that marked mouth. It contained a wnitish liquid. The detectives made no further investigation of the bottle's contents than to ascertain that they were inodorous. They had it sealed, and when the case was called at Essex Market Court yesterday afternoon at three o'clock they gave it to Justice Duffy, who ordered the Dromio-like articles to be locked up together. UNDER LOCK AND KEY.

On Wednesday evening the Volkmers were assigned

building at the back of the rear yard of Ludlow Street Jail. Blair and Mrs. Councily were taken to plaint. Blair on the other hand was restless under restraint and said that confinement was adding to his nervousness. He said he had many friends in this city who, if they knew of his deten-tion, would willingly become his bondsmen. Shortly before he was brought into court yesterday a youg man stopped up to the Justice. He had a empisint in a civil action, and said he thought be recognized in the description given of Blair a gentlebeen commenced. The complaint read Kate Murray and Alice Dunphy, of the firm of Murray & Dunphy,

of No. 100 Pine street, against Charles E. Biair. The sificative alleged that in 1870 Biar gave a promissory received from the firm, and that he has failed to pay within the time specified. When Biair arrived in the custody of the detectives the young man recognized him, and thrusts a copy of the compaint of the comp

next morning. "I did not see Volkmer." said the witness, "until I came in with the cranberries; he was dressing before a looking glass; we greeted each other cordisily; in fifteen minutes he went out alone; this left Mrs. Volkmer and myself alone for a quarter of an hour." Mrs. Connolly, he said, had parted from him in the street, syjing she was going home. "I saked her," he continued, "about Mrs. Volkmer's character; I said I would like to know if she was good; she told me that Mrs. Volkmer was a square, honest woman, nice and respectable."

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When he and Mary Volkmer had been alone for a little while Mary Connolly, he said, came in. He had not up to that time drank anything but tes, as as was not in the habit of drinking oftener than once a month.

The case was here adjourned, as it was seen that Blair's examination would last much longer than had been expected. Justice Dully said he would try to give his decision to-day. The prisoners' counsel say that they will put the Volkmers on the stand as soon as the cross-examination of Mary Connolly is ended.

CRICKET.

THE STATEN ISLAND CLUB'S RECORD OF TRIS YEAR'S MATCHES-AVERAGES OF ITS MEM-

The Staten Island Club, whose picturesque grounds are situated fronting New York Bay, at Tompkins ville, S. I., continued to hold predominance over its metropolitan rivals during the past season. Al-though the organization is but in its eighth year it already possesses a list of over four hundred active members, fifty-tour of whom took part in this year's games. A retrospective glance, embracing the past three seasons' efforts, shows the conservative char-acter of the club and its rapid improvement in all departments of the game. This success is mainly due to the attractive manner in which its matches have been played and to the generous and enthusiastic support of the fair residents of the island, for, in addition to the above list, the club includes the Staten Island Ladies' Club for Outdoor Sports, with a roll of over two hundred mem bers. In order to make the grounds a pleasing ren dezvous for all lovers of athletic games and exercises archery and croquet grounds and a number of lawn tennis courts were laid out to offer inducements to the ladies, not only as spectators, but as participants in some of the games. The record of the season shows that the club played thirteen first eleven, ten second eleven and one junior eleven matches, with the fol-

Matches. First eleven Second eleven Junior eleven	. 4	Lost. 5 5	Drawn. 0 1	Total. 13 10
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Gentlemen of Ireland and the two trips of the first and second elevens. Thirty-three members played in first eleven matches, twenty-nine in second eleven (of whom eighteen in first eleven also) and eleven in a junior match. The club house and grounds were a junior match. The club house and grounds were under the charge of George Lane, of Nottingham. England, the club's professional, assisted by J. Holden and G. Heyward, well known ground men. Appended will be found a summary of matches, with batting and bowling averages of those who played in first eleven matches:—

MAY 17—AF STATEN ISLAND.

Second.

	First	Second	
Sides.	Inning.	Inning.	Total.
Staten Island		46 (5 wicket	a) 108
St. George's Won by 5 wicket	36	66	102
	1-AT STATES	ISLAND.	3300
Staten Island		-	108
Columbia College. Won by an innit		43	82
JULY	4-AT STATEN	ISLAND.	
Staten Island	109	11 (1 wicke	t) 120
Belmont	66	52	118
JULY 1	1-12-AT STAT	EN ISLAND.	
Staten Island	129	81 (4 wicket	a) 210
Longwood		118	207
	7-AT PROSPE	CT PARK.	
Staten Island		118 (6 wicket	a) 162
Manhattan	102	_	102
JULY 21-A	T NICETOWN,	PHILADELPHIA.	
Staten Island	63	59 (5 wicket	a) 122
Young America Lost by 109 runs	172		172
		PHILADELPHIA	
Staten Island		STATE OF THE PARTY OF	100
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	Staten Island	93	40 (2 wickets)	1
	Chestnut Hill	87		
	Won by 6 runs on first	inning		
	JULY 24		ORE.	
	Staten Island			
				8
	Baltimore		45	
	Won by an inning and			
	AUGUST 9A	T STATEN		
	Staten Island	69	64 (1 wicket)	1
	Manhattan	00	66	1
	Won by 9 wickets.	200	ATTOMICS OF THE RESIDENCE	П
9	AUGUST 29-30-	AT STATE	W TOT AWD	
			45	
	Staten Island			- 3
	Hamilton	66	25 (2 wickets)	E
	Lost by 8 wickets.			
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	Staten Island eighteen.	34	102	1
	Gentlemen of Ireland		March St. St. St. St. St. St.	153
8	twelve	195	2 (no wickets)	1
	Lost by 11 wickets.	100	T(IIO HICKOR)	8
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Staten Island...... 27

2 (no wickets) 137

Names.	Matches	Innings	Runs	Most in an	Most in a	Times Not	Luning
P. W. Kessler	2	3	58	*25	•97		58-00
A. Harvey	5	9	154	39	39		19-20
V. Miley	8	13	173	48			13-2
C. W. Bance	11	112	167	47	51		10-4
P. Ronaldson	9	14	134	*40	*40	1	10-3
John Lee Bassett Jones E. J. Adams	5	674	49	*15	*15		9-8
Bassett Jones	5	100	57	17	19		9-5
E. J. Adams	3	6.	28	*10	*10	100 2.	8-3
F. Satterthwaite	3	5			16	2	
E. W. Stevens	12	ш	120	26	26	1	
J. R. Moore	10	18	125	22	31	1	
J. E. Sprague	113	18	110	33	33		
M. C. Eyre	9	12	56		*32	4	7-0
George Lane	11	16	98		25	1	6-5
C. M. Dodge	4	.5	27			0	
G. P. Thomas E. H. Outerbridge	2	3	8	8	8	1	4-0
E. H. Outerbridge	5	7	19	6	6	0	2-7

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The following are the names, with average, of those who played in one match only:—J. E. Roberts, 19-0; W. H. Davidge, 11-0; J. J. Eyre, 10-0; H. Inman, 6-0; George Heyward, 1-50; J. H. Hitcheock, J. Rawson, M. G. Haughton, B. B. Kirkland and G. E. Moore, each 1-0; K. Höle and E. A. Woolston, 0.

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Matelan	-	D.77.				
Names. Malches.	In gr.			cns.		
F. Satterthwaite 1	2	68	27	4	12	2-2
George Lane 10	15	1,664	492	90	82	6-6
J. E. Sprague 13	20	1.221	441	56	52	8-5
B. Jones 5	7	357	104	18	11	9-6
C. W. Bance 3	3	42	24	1	2	12-0
E. W. Stevens, .10	13	543	239	15	14	17-2
J. Lee 2	3	72	41	1	2	20-0
A. Harvey 2	3	78	29	3	0	1 1210

2-80; M. G. Houghton, 5-0; A. F. H. Manning, 7-0; M. C. Lyre and P. Ronaldson, 0. EMPIRE CITY ATHLETIC CLUB.

The first annual winter games of the Empire City Athletic Club will take place next Tuesday evening at Madison Square Garden. Several of the best

known amateur athletes will contest for the prizes. Among the entries are to be found representatives of the Scottish American, New York, Manhattan and Knickerbocker clubs. The following will be the events:—

Five-mile go-as-you-please contest, open only to letter carriers and members of Police and Fire departments; seventy-five-yards run, handicap; tug of war, teams of six, 150 pounds each, in uniform; quarter-mile run, handicap; military tug of war, six men, for a stand of colors; one-mile run, handicap; tug of war, teams of ten, in uniform; 230-yards hurdle race, handicap; individual tugs of war; half-nile run, handicap; one-mile walk, handicap; two-mile walk, handicap; one-mile walk, handicap; two-mile walk, handicap; wrestling by amateurs.

Gold medals will be given to first and silver medals to second in each event. A silver medal will be given to each member of the winning tug of warteam, excepting the winning military team, which will receive a handsome stand of colors, presented by Mr. Hubert O, Thompson.

THE SCOTTISH-AMERICAN ATHLETES.

The hammer throwing competition at the Scottish-American games, which was postponed from Thanksgiving Day on account of darkness, was decided yesterday afternoon on the club's grounds, before a fair assemblage. The list of entries origibefore a fair assemblage. The list of entries origi-nally numbered thirty-five, and seventeen of them appeared yesterday. The result, as far as the first three were concerned, was as follows:—Mr. G. C. Grundy, Edizabeth A.C. (allowed 15 feet), 90 feet 4½ inches, 1; Mr. B. F. Thompson, Pastime A.C. (23 feet allowance), 88 feet 7 inches, 2; Mr. G. O'Connor, B.A.A.C. (23 feet allowance), 88 feet, 3. FOOTBALL AT BOSTON.

AN EXCITING MATCH BETWEEN THE YALES AND HARVARDS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE HERALD.]

Boston, Nov. 29, 1879. The second football contest of the season between the Yale and Harvard freshmen was played this af-ternoon on the Boston Baseball Grounds, in this ity. It had been raining all the forenoon, and not till after one o'clock was there any indications that even moderately decent weather could be had for the match. A raw, searching wind was blowing, and lovers of the sport shivered as they contemplated the prospect of sitting through the game in a bleak, open field. Nothing short of a tornado and a shower of pitchforks, however, could deter the average college student from witnessing an exhibition of college athletics, and so at the appointed hour, half-past two, a fair sized audience of students and their friends, with a few shivering newspaper men, were

assembled on the scene of action.

The rival teams appeared promptly. They were dressed in uniforms bearing the favorite colors of their colleges. The following answered to the call:— Yale, '83:—Rushers—Messrs. Spring, Beck, Hillard, Hull, Parrott and Colby. Halfbacks—Messrs. Jones, Stanton and Corwith. Backs—Messrs. Rogers and Beach. Harvard, '83:—Rushers—Messrs. Morrison, Beals, Richmond, Baxter and Lec. Halfbacks-Messrs. Cabbott, Kent and Keith. Backs-Messrs Curtis and Fuller. Mr. Morrison was captain of the Harvard team and Mr. Parrott captain of Yale. Mr. Walter Camp, of Yale, was referee, and Mr. W. J. Badger, of Yale, and Mr. W. H. Manning, of Harvard,

were judges.

The advertised time of beginning play was halfpast two P. M., but play was not called until a quarter to three. The Harvard captain won the toss and chose the kick-off, which gave Yale the goal at the upper end of the ground toward the effrance, while the Harvard goal was at the lower end of the course. The Yale toam was much heavier and sized larger than Harvard, and it soon became apparent that the crimson standard would have to be lowered, and proud Harvard be obliged to surrender unconditionally to the boys from the State of wooden nutmegs and clocks. Yale did not display much science, evidently depending upon their superior strength for a victory, and the play was of the rough and tumble order. After some skirmishing in upon field the ball was sent to the close vicinity of Harvard's goal, where it was kept, and a hard struggle was made by Harvard to send it into the field and by Yale to win a goal. A lucky kick by Harvard gained temporary advantage only to give Yale a touchdown for safety. Again the ball was returned by the sturdy Yale met, foremost of whom was Hull, a great big fellow, who overtopped them all in size and strength. A hard struggle followed, with half a dozen men floundering in the mud and crimson and blue legs mixed up in inextricable confusion. The result was another touchdown for Yale and the retirement of Beals, of the Harvards, from the field, from a severe kiek. Butler was called in and the game went on, with the same result—another touchdown for Yale. Rockwell, another Harvard rusher, was now compelled to retire from rough usage, Perrin taking his place. The first half was rapidly drawing to a close, and the men began to look like gravel train operatives, when the superior strength of Yale sent the ball within two feet of the Harvard goal, and the hottest of struggles took place. After rolling about in the mud in vain endeavors to get a firm grip ou the slippery ball, the Yale men made a lucky pass, sending the ball into the hands of Beach, who by a splendid rick sont it over and through the goal. nd chose the kick-off, which gave Yale the goal at the upper end of the ground toward the eftrance,

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Sides were now separated and another kick-off made, and the 'scramble began again, but was of short duration, owing to the expiration of the first half of forty-five minutes. Result of first half:—Three touchdowns and a goal for Yale and a clean cipher for Harvard.

A rest of fitteen minutes was then taken, the players presenting a ludicrous appearance as they marched across the field, their uniforms, hands and faces literally costed with yellow clay, which the recent rains had reduced to a very glutinous condition. Time was called at a quarter of three and the struggle was renewed. The Yale men did not enter with as much push and spirit as in the first half. They evidently had measured their opponents and rightly, for they exted entirely on the defensive, contenting themselves with "holding the ball." The burly Hull was like a giant among pigmies, Getting possession of the ball, he would be courageously attacked by four or five crimson legs. The Harvard boys would cling to him, when his tactics were to throw himself flat on his stomach, holding the ball under him. All efforts to dislodge it would be futile. The players would take a fresh breath and begin again in the same sport. Harvard struggled bravely, but in vain. They were repulsed at every point, and when fine was called at the close the Cambridge boys had not won even a touchdown, and for the second time this season the Harvard struggled bravely, but in vain. They were repulsed at every point, and when fine was called at the close the Cambridge boys had not won even a touchdown, and for the second time this season the Harvard struggled bravely, but in vain. They were repulsed at every point, and when fine was called at the close the Cambridge boys had not won even a touchdown, and for the second time this season the Harvard struggled bravely, but in vain. They were repulsed and doctored, re

PIGEON SHOOTING.

THE NEW YORK GUN CLUB. BERGEN POINT, N. J., Nov. 29, 1879.

their regular Saturday meeting to-day. The matches opened with a sweepstakes of 25 birds each between Mr. Edgar Murphy, Mr. R. Knowles and Mr. E. yards rise, 5 traps, 5 yards apart-Hurlingham rules. The following was the result:-Mr. Murphy killed 21, missed 4; Mr. Knowles killed 15, missed 10; Mr. E. Zabriskie killed 8, missed 8 and stopped.

10; Mr. E. Zabriskie killed S, missed S and stopped. The same men then competed in a ten-bird match for a pool of \$30, Mr. Murphy again winning, killing 10 birds atraight at S0 yards, Messrs. Knowles and Zabriskie killing 7 cach.

A seven-bird sweepstakes, handicap rise, followed, Messrs. Zabriskie and Knowles, at 30 yards, killing all; Mr. E. Murphy, 30 yards, 5; Mr. W. Stone, 26 yards, 5; Mr. W. Godfrey, 30 yards, 5; Colonel Euter, 30 yards, 5; Mr. M. Jackson, 26 yards, 5; Mr. Soule, 30 yards, 2. The tie shot off, "miss and go out," gave the first money to Mr. Zabriskie, and the second to Mr. Knowles.

A sweep of five birus followed. Messrs. M. Soule, E. Murphy and R. Knowles, each at 30 yards, killing 5; Messrs. W. Godfrey, E. Zabriskie and Colonel Butler, 30 yards, 4; Mr. M. Jackson, 26 yards, 4, and Mr. W. Stone, 26 yards, 3. The shoot off resulted, first money to Mr. Soule and second money to Mr. Murphy.

Murphy.

The sport closed with a five-bird match between Mr. Jessie Dodd and Mr. C. Shields, for \$20 a side. The birds were especially selected for the match. Each man shot at 31 yards, Messrs. Dodd and Shields killing 2 each. The shoot off gave Mr. Shields the match.

EAST RAHWAY, N. J., Nov. 29, 1879. A good gathering of pigeon marksmen was held here to-day to compete for purses in sweepstakes shooting. A sweep of three birds, 21 yards, H and T traps, was won by Mr. Wooley, of Woodbridge, Villiams, of New York, taking second money. After-bird sweep, same rules, resulted in a tie of 5 for Sewell, of New York, and Mr. Collins, of Bayonne, Mr. Sewell on the shoot off, "miss and go out," taking first money and Mr. Collins second money. Eleven men participated in a sweepstakes of seven birds, two misses out. Mr. Broderick, of Rahway, killed all; Messrs, Wooley, Williams and Coyle killed; each, and Mr. Sewell 5. On the shoot off Mr. Wooley took second money and Mr. Williams third money.

money.

The day's sport closed with a three-bird sweep,
Messrs. Collins and Williams killing all. Owing to
the darkness the tie was not shot off, the highest
men dividing the stakes.

A MATCH AT PLAINFIELD, N. J.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Nov. 29, 1879. A match of 100 birds was shot here this afternoon between F. Paulding, of this piace, and E. S. Wilson, of New York, for \$50 a side and the cost of the birds, single rise, 21 yards, Long Island rules, each man finding, trapping and handling for his opponent. The birds were good flyers, the Jerseyman providing the best and out-birding the New Yorker, making the score at the finish with Psulding killing 42 to Wilson's 35.

GLASS BALL SHOOTING. LONG BRANCH, N. J., Nov. 29, 1879. A 100 glass ball match was shot at the New York Club Grounds to-day, between Mr. L. Benjamin, of

New York, and Mr. Harry Smyth, of Jersey City, for \$50 a side, the globes being thrown from a mole revolving trap, at twenty-one yards' rise. Mr. Benjamin won the match, breaking 45 globas to Mr. Smyth's 41. THE MONTCLAIR HUNT.

The meet of the Montelair hunt took place yesterday at the residence of Mr. C. A. Heckscher, Orange, at half-past two o'clock. Seventeen gentlemen and two ladies stood by their horses, and at the word "mount" sprang lightly into the saddle, prepared for a stif cross-country ride after the fox hounds. Though there were no

try gave cause enough for anxiety about the tightmes of girth and soundness of roin. A number of
initial but heavy speciatory left behind in the
folds of Grange Mountain as the horsomes
followed the laying housing to the ores.

A drag hunt, and the afforded good riding
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a mare and only surpassed by two geldings:—
In 1869 Blackwood had the best three-year-old record (2.31), which was reduced by Lady Stout to 2.29 in 1874, to 2.28 by Etaine in 1877, to 2.25 k, by Steinway this spring, and to 2.23% by Jewett this fall.

Frieson had the best four-year-old record in 1861—2.30%. This was reduced to 2.29% by Allie West in 1874, to 2.24% by Keene Jim in 1877, to 2.24% by Etaine in 1878, and to 2.19% this year by Trinket.

Tattler headed the list of fire-year-olds in 1888.

2:24% by Elaine in 1878, and to 2:19% this year by Trinket.

Tattler headed the list of five-year-olds in 1868 with 2:26. In 1872 Lady Maude trotted in 2:22%, which Governor Sprague lowered to 2:20% in 1876, this season brought down to 2:18 by Santa Claus. In 1876 Blackwood, Jr., then five, trotted in 2:22%, and 1877 Midnight and Woodford Chief trotted respectively in 2:22% and 2:22%.

At six years of age Fivety Golddust trotted in 2:20 and Hambletonian Mambrino in 2:21% At seven Edwin Forrest and Lady Maude made a record of 2:18, and the former trotted an exhibition heat in 2:14% this year Darby in 2:16%. At eight Netthe and Red Cloud trotted in 2:18, Lady Maude in 2:18%, American Girl in 2:19, Fullerton in 2:19%, Mambrino Gift in 2:20. At ten Occident made his 2:16%, at eleven Rarus compassed a mile in 2:13% and Lulu one in 2:16%. At twelve Hopeful scored 2:14% and Lulu 2:15. At fourteen Flora Temple made her famous 2:19%. At sixteen Lucy trotted in 2:18% and Lady Suffolk in 2:26.

No table like the following has ever been published. Its compilation has been more difficult than one would suppose, but in spite of the difficulty in ascertaining ages it is bolieved to be entirely correct:—

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Age. Name.	Sire.	Record, 1	TIDS
1-Memento	Administrator.	2:50%	187
2-So-So	George Wilkes		1877
3-Jewett	Alife West	2:23%	187
4-Trinket	Princeps	2:19%	1875
5-Santa Claus			1875
6-Midnight	Peacemaker	2:18%	187
7-Darby			
8-Gloster			1874
9-Dexter	Hambletonian	2:1714	186
9-Hopeful	Godfrey's Pate	hen2:174	187
10-Smuggler			
11-St. Julien			
12-Rarus			
13-American Girl.			
14-Goldsmith Mai			187
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HORSE NOTES.

Mr. Frank Work's famous trotter Edward, record 2:19, is matched against Mr. S. Foster Dewey's well known campaigner Richard, record 2:21, for \$1,000 a

known campaigner Bichard, record 2:21, for \$1,000 a side, play or pay, for a race of mile heats, best three in five, in harness, to occur June 15, 1820.

The triangular series of challenges from the respective owners of St. Julien, Sleepy Tom and Mattie Hunter will be likely to excite considerable interest among turfmen. The owners of St. Julien challenge the world Sleepy Tom's owner challenges St. Julien, and Mr. R. C. Pate offers to pace his little mare, Mattie Hunter, against Sleepy Tom.

Mr. Joseph Udell, owner of the pacing golding Sleepy Tom, record of 2:12½, is accredited with having sent a challenge to the owner of St. Julien, in California, to make a match between the two great fivers, to take place this fall, or early next scason; the terms of the match left open, to be mutcally decided upon. Tom's owner feels confident that the being there can beat any pacer or trotter in the world.

Mr. Edward S. Stokes has a number of last trotting horses how en route from California to this city. The gelding Tommy Gates is among the num-ber. Tommy Gates is now seven years old, fitteen hands and an inch high, and he is in good condition. As a five year old he made a record of 2.24%. During the current year he proved himself to be one of the fastest pole horses in the country, having made with a running mate, at San Angelos, a mile in 2:16%.

in 2:1634.

Mr. Covey, agent for Governor Leland, Stanford, Cai., is now at Treacy & Wilson's stable in Lexington, Ky., for the purpose of buying a car load or two of thoroughbred mares. Mr. Covey shipped two car loads last spring, and reports the stock having done well and thinks the future will demonstrate the value of the thoroughbred blood in the fast trotter. He is of the same opinion that a great many of our best horsemen are—that is, that the highest rate of speed will be shown by a thoroughbred trotter, or one bred on a foundation of thoroughbred blood.

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bred trotter, or one bred on a foundation of thoroughbred blood.

Mr. J. R. Keene's chestnut colt Spendthrift has gained considerable flesh since his return to Kentucky. His feet were worn almost to the quick from the severe training he had undergone last summer. Before the next spring meetings they will have grown out, and if he winters well it is thought that he will be a better horse than ever before. Lord Murphy is also much improved since he has been in Kentucky. In fact all the horses which comprise Mr. Keene's string at the Keeny Farm the Tarf, Field and Farm reports as in the finest condition.

The thoroughbred colts and fillies dropped on the Belle Meade stud farm, near Nashville. Tenn, property of General W. G. Harding, have all been taken up and put in winter quarters. They are a fine looking lot, and should they winter well will command considerable attention at the next annual sale of Belle Meade yearlings next spring. Among the lot is a sister to La-tu-nah, by John Morgan, out of Lantana, by Capitain Eigoe; a sister to Ben Hill, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, out of Melrose, by Childe Harold; a sister to Bombast, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, out of Melrose, by Childe Harold; a sister to Bombast, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, out of Mariposa, by Jack Malone.

The trotting colt Steinway, three years old, has been said to Me Samuel Gamble, of San Francisco for

imp. Bonnie Scotland, out of Mariposa, by Jack Maione.

The trotting colt Steinway, three years old, has been sold to Mr. Samuel Gamble, of San Francisco, for \$13,000. Steinway is by Strathmore, a son of Hambletonian, dam by imported Aibion. As a two-year-old, Steinway carried off a stake at Lexington, Ky., trotting the second and third heats in 2:32½ and 2:31½, the two-year-old filly Memento winning the first heat \$2:30½. Last August Steinway won the three-year-old stakes at the Kentucky Agricultural and Mechanical Association fair, at Lexington, when he won the fourth, fifth and sixth heats in 2:25½, 1:31½ and 2:31½, the best three heats ever trotted by a three-year-old. The first heat of the race was won by Mystory, in 2:38½, the second and third heats by Jewett, in 2:37¾ and 2:30.

In an article on horse breeding in New England

race was wen by Mystery, in 2:38%, the second and third heats by Jewett, in 2:37% and 2:30.

In an article on horse breeding in New England the Beaton Journal says:—"Judged by the prices recently obtained for strictly well bred and desirable stock, the raising of coits would seem to be as remunerative to the common farmer as any branch of his business. In times past one of the chief objections urged was the fact that farmers could not expect to realize upon their investment in this line until the colt should mature, which in this climate ordinarily requires from five to six years. At present there is an active demand for horses of the higher grades for breeding purposes, and what may be termed tancy prices are being realized for very young stock. As demonstrating the above propositions, the sales of Back Cloud stock may be cited. Five of the get of this celebrated stathen, all out of ordinary farm marcs, have been sold at or before weaning time at prices ranging from \$130 to \$200. Of this number one was sold from the town of Bellingham to go to fows, where it is understood more of the same stock is to follow, which would imply that Western breeders prefer the get of Black Cloud, to Best will not be permitted to leave the State. The price obtained is probably the largest paid for a colt of the seaming coit from the Chief, by Black Cloud, to Boston parties for \$600 cash is a guarantee that the best will not be permitted to leave the State. The price obtained is probably the largest paid for a colt of the same age in this section for some years, and is perhaps partiy due to the fact that his breeding on the dam's side is exceptionally good. His dam, Bonniewood (also the dam of the very promising filly, Lady Beile) is by Black Snake, Jr., he by Old Black Snake, out of a Red Bird marc; second dam by Alexander's Flot, Jr. It will be noted that the breeding of Boangic Chief is particularly rich in pacing crosses on the dam's side, the value of which is every day becoming more apparent as a factor in the increase of tr

ENGLISH SPORTING NOTES.

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MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

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LITTHAUER-BACH. -- CHARLES C. LITTHAUER to FLORA BACH. No cards.

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BISCHOFF-BISCHOFF.—On Tuesday, November 25, 1879, by the Rev. B. N. Burch, Robbert W. Bischoff of Mrs. Jennie H. R. Bischoff, Bodbert W. Bischoff of Mrs. Jennie H. R. Bischoff, both of New York. Bonalde-Schoonmaker.—On Thursday, November 27, at the Church of the Ascension, by the Rev. John Cotton Smith, J. P. Bonalde to Amanda, daughter of Louis Schoonmaker, of this city.

Churchill.—McEwen.—In Philadelphis, November 27, at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. John De Witt, D. D., Willand H. Churchill., of Florida, and Mary W., daughter of the late Matthew P. McEwen, of Philadelphis.

DOTY—CLARE.—November 27, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Wellosisy W. Bowdish, George W. Dorty, of Yonkers, to Miss Ermal L. Clare, of Brooklyn.

Fluwers—Kook.—On Thursday, November 27, by the Rev. Dr. Thomas Sills, Frederick E. Flumer to Julier Kook, both of this city.

Grippen—Abbot.—At Harrison, Westchester county, November 12, 1879, by Rev. C. B. Brewster, Howand J. Ghippen, of White Plains, to Lillie Eugenia, daughter of F. A. Abbot, Esq.

Honyten—Strauss.—On Wednesday, November 19, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Gustay Gottheil, Argustus Hokkfre to Fannie Strauss, daughter of Jonas Strauss, Esq., all of this city.

Johnson—Carstens,—November 27, by the Rev.

N. Y.
VENTRES—DUSENBERRY,—On Wednesday, November 26, by the Rev. S. D. Burchard, D. D., Invino S.
VENTRES to HERTIK, daughter of W. F. Dusenberry,
Esq., all of this city.
WALEN—DERMODY.—On Thursday, November 27, at
St. Michael's Church, Flushing, L. I., by the Rev.
Pather McKenna, Michael, H. Waler, of New York,
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The funeral service with be held at his late residence, No. 448 Canai st., this (Sabbath) afternoon, at hair-past tweive o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.

ALLEN.—Monday, November 24, 1879, at Colorado Springs, Col., William H. Allen, of New York city, aged 31 years.

Funeral trom his late residence, No. 227 10th av., on Monday, December 1, at ten o'clock in the morning, and a requiem mass at the Church of St. Paul the Apostic, 60th st. and 9th av.

Bhanan.—At his residence, 88 Delancey st., Thomas Bhanan, at his residence, 88 Delancey st., Thomas Bhanan, aged 32.

Relatives and triends, also members of Typographical Union No. 6, are requested to attend his funeral, on Sunday, November 39, at one o'clock.

Bunstrad, —In this city, November 28, Frierman J. Bunst

tery, Mass. Friends are requested not to send flowers.

The Fellows of the New York Academy of Medicine are invited to attend the funeral of their late associate, Freeman J. Bunstead, M. D., Li. D., at the Church of St. Ignatius, 40th st., between 5th and 6th awas, on Tuesday, December 2, at ten A. M.

FORDYCE BARKER, M. D., Li. D., President, H. T. HANES, Secretary.

MEDICAL SOCIETY OF THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK:—
The attendance of members of this society is requested at the funeral of their recent associate and President, Freeman J. Bunstead, M. D., Li. D. The services will be held at the Church of St. Ignatius, on 40th at., between 5th and 6th avs., at ten A. M., on Tuesday, the 2d prox.

A. E. M. PURDY, M. D., President.

F. A. OASTLE, M. D., Secretary.

BUSSELL.—On the 29th inst., Louise, eldest daugh-

F. A. CASTLE, M. D., Secretary.

BUSSELL.—On the 29th inst., LOUISE, eldest daughter of the late John H. Bussell.

Funeral from 15 East 42d st., on December 2, at

ter of the late John H. Eussell.

Funeral from 15 East 42d st., on December 2, at eleven A. M.

Carll.—At Huntington, L. I., Friday evening.

November 28, Mrs. Seraphina Carll, in the 94th year of her age.

Funeral Tuesday, on the arrival of the train which leaves Hunter's Poinf at 10 A. M. Carriages will be in waiting at Huntington Depot.

COLEMAN.—On Friday, November 28, 1879, Richard J. Coleman, January, the 36th inst., from the residence of his brother, M. A. Coleman, 549 7th av., at two o'clock P. M. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

CONGER.—On Thursday, November 27, Many Prost, widow of the late John Conger, in the 88th year of her age.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, 48 West 32d st., on Monday, December 1, at two P. M.

COSTOLO.—At her residence, 35 Monroe st., Hoboken, Shinko Costolo, aged 9 years and 8 months.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the above residence, on Monday, December 1. The remains will be taken to Calvary Cemetery for interment at two o'clock.

COX.—At her residence, 71 Tompkins av., Brooklyn, on Friday, December 28, Mrs. Julia E. Cox.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

Dergan.—On Friday, November 28, 1879, Eliza-

West 12th st., at harp-past two o'clock.

DINNING.—Suddenly, on November 28, LILLIE M.,
daughter of Andrew and Selina E. Dunning, aged 13
years, 4 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited
to attend the funeral, from the residence of her
parents. 1.243 Lexington av., on Sunday, November
30. at hair past one P. M.
Bolly.—On November 28, 1873, at Albany, Daniel,
Foley, in the 28th year of his age.
Funeral to-day, from 338 East 23d st., at two
o'clock. Interment in Calvary Cometery.
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Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, December 1, at hair-past one o'clock, from his parentaresidence, No. 5 Idaho av., Jersey City Heights.

Hisgins,—At Monthar, N. J., November 29, 1872,
Miss Mary A. Hugens.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited
to attend the funeral services, at the residence of her
sister, Mrs. A. J. Kettlewell, 28 West 26th st., on
Monday, December 1, at three o'clock P. M.

HOLAHAN.—On Saturday morning, November 29,
1879, Thomas Holahan, aged 73 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited
to attend the funeral, on Monday morning, at haifpast nine o'clock, from his-late residence, 283 Pacific st. Brooklyn, to St. Paul's Church, Court st.,
thence to the Cemetery of the Holy Cross.

Howell.—On Thursday, November 27, at her late
residence, 710 West 40th st., Annie E., eldest daughter
of Mrs. E. Cawthorn and the late Mr. John T. Howell,
in the 20th year of her age.

Friends of the family are invited to attend her
funeral, to-day, the 30th inst., at one o'clock.

Jennings.—November 29, of pneumoria, Sanah A.
Jennings (hee Funston), wife of Charles H. Jennings
and daughter of the late Charles Sayres, of Nashville, Tenn., in the 35th year of her age.

Friends of the family are fivited to attend her
funeral, to-day, the 30th inst., at one o'clock.

Jennings (hee Funston), wife of Charles H. Jennings
and daughter of the late Charles Sayres, or

in Connecticut,
Nashville papers copy.
Kerrigan.—On Friday, November 28, 1879, Marian
Mastriason, the beloved wife of William H. Kerrigan,
of county Cavan, Ireland, in the 47th year of her

age.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, Sunday, Nov. 30, from her late residence, No. 512 Hicks st., Brooklyn, at two o'clock P. M., and thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Phinadelphis papers please copy.

KIP.—At Peekskill, on Friday evening, November 28, WINIFIED CARPENTER, wife of Isaac Kip, aged 50 cears.

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Funeral from her late residence, Broad st., Peekskill, on Monday, December 1, at one o'clock. Trains leave Grand Central Depot at eleven o'clock. No flowers.

LEWIS.—On Saturday, November 29, Helen M. Lewis, wife of Frank W. Lewis, and daughter or the late J. J. Lockwood.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

LYNES.—At Norwalk, Conn., November 28, Joseph I. LYNES.

Funeral from the residence of his mother, Mrs. E. H. Lynes, Norwalk, Wednesday, at half-past two P. M.

MERRILL.—George W. Menrill, son of the late

Funeral from the residence of his mother, Mrs. E.
H. Lynes, Norwalk, Wednesday, at half-past two
P. M.
MERRILL.—George W. Merraill, son of the late
Jonathan H. Merrill, M. D., of Salem, N. H., at 44
South Washington square, New York, November 29,
of epilepsy.
Interred at Salem, N. H.
MEYER.—Suddenly, on Friday, November 28, at
New Dover, Middlesex county. N. J., Robert H.
MEYER, son of George and Emma Meyer, at the age
of 13 years.
Funeral services at New Dover, at half-past twelve
P. M., on Monday, December 1. Carriages awaiting
the train leaving the foot of Cortlandt st. at 11 A. M.
for Uniontown.
MOSKOWITZ.—November 29, Mina, wife of David
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Moskowitz.—Sunday, November 30, one o'clock
P. M. Friends of the family are respectfully invited
to attend.
MOYLAN.—November 28, 1879, at her residence, 46
Charlton st., MARGARET, the beloved wife of William
Moylan, a native of the parish of Rathkeele, county
Limerick, Ireland, aged 38 years.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from the above a dress, at ten A. M. Sunday,
thence to St. Anthony's Church, Sullivan st.
Irish papers please copy.
MURTHA.—November 28, MICHAEL H. MURTHA, aged

Nessur.—Suddenly, Sarah ann Nessur, wife of John Nesbit.
Notice of funeral hereafter.
Nevin.—Suddenly, November 29, Charlotta, wife of George P. Nevin, in the 67th year of her age.
Notice of funeral hereafter.
Nichols.—At Greeley, Col., November 22, of typhoid fever, Annie Waring, Nichols, wife of William A. Nichols and granddaughter of the late Henry P. Waring, of Brooklyn.
O'Connon.—In Brooklyn, on Friday, November 28, John J. O'Connor, eldest son of John and Winifred O'Connor, aged 12 years, 5 months and 17 days.
Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, 50 3d st., Brooklyn, Sunday afternoon, November 30, at two o'clock.
O'Scillivan.—On Friday, November 23, Mrs. Mandaher O'Scillivan, in the 39th year of her age.
Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, southwest corner Hoster and Mulberry sts., on Sunday, 30th inst, at two P. M.
Ports.—On Tuesday, November 25, Mrs. Isanella Ports, mother of Mr. Thomas Potts, in the 81st year of her age.
Funeral on Monday, December 1, at two P. M., From her late residence, 10t Vanderbilt av., Brooklyn.
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Funeral on Monday, December 1, at two F. M., from her late residence, 104 Vanderbilt av., Brooklyn.

QUAM.—On November 26, in Denver, Col., Ludwid E., son of the late Hans Quam, in the 27th year of his age.

His interment will take place in Denver.

RAPHARI.-LYONS.—November 28, after a lingering illuess, Mrs. Julia Lyons, beloved daughter of J. Jamison and Emelia Raphael, sged 20 years, 8 months.

Funeral this day at ten o'clock, from the residence of her parents, 317 East 19th st.

RRIDY.—At No. 81 Madison st., on Friday, 28th inst., HANNAH, wife of Richard Reidy.

Her remains will be taken at ten A. M., on Monday, 1st prox., to St. James' Church, where a requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul. Relatives and friends, and those of her sister, Mrs. Lysaght, are invited to be present. Intermen in Calvary Cemetery. No flowers.

REILLY.—On Friday, November 28, FARRELL J. REILLY.—On Friday, November 28, FARRELL J. REILLY. native of Killineare, county Cavan, Ireland, aged 50 years.

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REILLY.—On Friday, November 28, FARRELL J. ARKILLY.—At record Fidilineare, county Cavan, Ireland, aged 50 years.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, northwest corner of 80th st. and 2d av., on Monday morning, at nine o'clock, and from thence to St. Lawrence's Church, 84th st., near Madison av.

Seymour.—On Monday, November 24, at the residence of her son-in-law, Charles Raht, AMELIA CLARA SEYMOUR (nee Connolly), widow of Edward Seymour, aged 64 years.

The remains were interred at Peckakill.
London and Portsmouth, England, and California papers please copy.

Spatiation.—In Brooklyn, November 27, 1879, Henray Spatiation, aged 43 years.

The relatives and friends of the family and members of Eureka Lodge No. 243, F. and A. M., are invited to attend his funeral, from 495 Myrtle av., at two P. M. on Sunday.

Thom.—In Jersey City, on November 28, James Thom, for many years connected with the shipping department of Singer's Manufacturing Company.

Relatives and friends of the tamily are invited to attend his funeral, this (Sunday) afternoon, at two o'clock, from his late residence, 283 Barrow st., Jersey City.

Tensuxe.—At Teaneck, N. J., on November 28,

sey City.
TERMUNE.—At Teaneck, N. J., on November 28,
Manta, infant child of Cornelius J. and Maria Ter-

Hune.

Funeral from the house of her parents, on Monday, December 1, at cleven o'clock.

USHER.—At Hoston, November 28, HENRY W.
USHER, agod 60 years, late of New York.
VAN NOSTRAND.—In this city, on Saturday, November.

""", Professor Joaos Van Nostrand, in his 66th

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Relatives and friends are invited to attend his function, the way morthwest corner 126th st., on Tuesday, December 2, at half-past ton A. M.

Texas papers please copy.

Waring.—On Saturday morning, Julia E. Secon, reliet of the late William Waring, Eq., of Riverside, Ulster county, N. Y., in the 78th year of her age.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funcral services, at the residence of her niece, Mrs. William S. Couzens, 159 Hawthorne av., Yonkers, on Monday, December 1, at half-past eleven o'clock A. M. Carriages will be in wasting at the station for the 10:35 A. M. train from the Grand Central Dopot. Internment in Greenwood Cemetery.

WOOLSEY.—November 29, 1859, KATHARINE CAMMANN, wife of Thadeus Ealiey Woolsey and daughter of Margaritta L. and of the late Dr. Thomas Ward.

Notice of funeral hereafter.